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Docket No: 2681/01247

Box PATENT APPLICATION
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Sir:

Enclosed please find an application for United States patent as identified below:

Inventor/s (name ALL inventors): Eyal LICHTMAN; Erik HENDELL; Leonid SHMULEVICH

Title: APPARATUS FOR AND METHOD OF MAC BASED TRANSMISSION IN WDM
OPTICAL RING NETWORKS

including the items indicated:

1. Specification and 42 claims: 6 indep.; 36 dep.; multiple dep.
2. Executed declaration and power of attorney
 Unexecuted declaration and power of attorney
3. Formal drawings, 4 sheets (Figs. 1-4)
 Informal drawings, sheets (Figs.)
4. Assignment for recording to: ATRICA LTD.
5. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

6. Check in amount of \$1386.00, (\$1346 filing; \$40 recording)
(See attached **Fee Computation Sheet**)
7. Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

Date: February 6, 2001

Respectfully submitted,



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PATENT FEE COMPUTATION SHEET

No. of Claims Presented	Extra Claims Previously Paid For	Number of Extra Claims	Rate
Basic Fee			\$710.00
Total Claims	42 - 20	- 0 = 22	x \$18.00 \$396.00
Independent Claims	6 - 3	- 0 = 3	x \$80.00 \$240.00
Multiple Dependent Claims		- if so, add	\$270.00 \$0.00
Surcharge for late submission of filing fee and/or declaration (\$130.00)			\$0.00
SubTOTAL			\$1346.00
Small Entity REDUCTION (Half of Subtotal)			\$0.00
Fee for recordation of assignment (\$40.00)			\$40.00
Charge for filing non-English language application (\$130.00)			\$0.00
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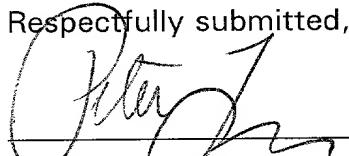
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Sir:

I hereby certify that, on information and belief, the invention disclosed in
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